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Passumpsic Lodge, No. 27, F. and A. M.
Regular Communication Thursday evening September 11.

DELOS M. BACON, Secretary.
Haswell Royal Arch Chapter, No. 11.
Stated Convocation Friday evening, September 19.

HARRY A. BARTLETT, H. P.
DELOS M. BACON, Secretary.
Palestine Commandery, No. 5, K. T.

Stated Conclave, Tuesday evening, September 16.
WILLIAM WETHERSBERG, E. C.
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Sheridan Council, Knights of Columbus.
Regular meetings are held the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month in Citizens Bank building, second floor.

W. P. RILEY, Grand Knight.
D. P. HEALY, Rec. Sec.

Woman's Club.
The regular meeting of the Woman's Club will be held Monday afternoon, September 1, at 9 o'clock at Pythian Hall. Executive board meeting at 2 o'clock.

NEW ADS. THIS WEEK.

Cat Lost.
Found—Brooks-Tyler.
Stop—E. L. Hunt & Co.
Woman's Club Meeting.
Representatives Wanted.
Announcement—J. C. Stevens.
Way Down East—Howe Opera House.

Bankruptcy Notice—Samuel Longmore.
Pres. of Account—Agnes Gibson's Estate.
Bankruptcy Notice—Charles A. Robinson.
Probate of Will—Clarinda Shorey's Estate.
Auction Saturday Evening—W. H. Preston.

LOCAL GATHERINGS.

—The fall term of St. Johnsbury Academy opens Tuesday, Sept. 9.

—Ezra C. Brooks has a merchant tailor's exhibit at the Newport fair this week.

—E. L. Hunt is moving from the Y. M. C. A. block to the Gorham house, 13 Church street.

—The new switchboard is being installed at the New England Telephone Co.'s office this week.

—There will be a private dancing party at Pythian Hall this evening at 8:30, with music by Mrs. Brock and Mr. Burroughs.

—The macadam force is at work on North Railroad street, and it is the intention to complete the work on this street this year.

—The Old Pine Golf Club had a one club contest yesterday afternoon on the links and later served a supper to members on the club house piazza.

—Palestine Commandery, K. T., is planning for a four days' excursion to Montreal and Quebec, about October 1. The knights will be accompanied by their ladies.

—The banks will be closed again Monday, September 1, Labor Day, and the post office will be open only the usual holiday hours, an early morning delivery being made.

—Pauline, the hypnotist and mind reader, held the boards at Howe Opera House four nights last week and fully sustained his reputation as a very clever man in his line.

—The new confectionery firm of Cook & Woodward reports that their business since the beginning has exceeded expectations and up to date the venture is proving a success.

—The moonlight excursion down Lake Memphremagog, which the Lyndonville Band had planned for Thursday evening, has been postponed because of the republican rally at the Ville.

—Dr. Nutting's picture of the old house with elms, near North Danville, adorns the cover of the current number of the Congregationalist under the title "The Old New England Home."

—Thomas Smith was before Judge Worcester Thursday, and paid the regulation \$11.10 for intoxication, and Thomas Cummings was fined the same amount for the same offense, Friday.

—Passumpsic Lodge, F. & A. M., have received an invitation from Memphremagog Lodge, F. & A. M., to a trip on Lake Memphremagog Friday forenoon and a basket picnic at Knowlton's Landing.

—The Paddock Village bridge will be closed again for a few days while the abutment at the east end is being replaced by one of granite to correspond with the one put in early in the summer.

—The ball games scheduled for this week are: St. J. v. West Burke, Wednesday at St. Johnsbury at 3:30 p. m.; and St. J. v. Hyde Park, at St. Johnsbury, Saturday at 4 p. m.

—Matzo, the artist has painted and sold about 400 pictures during the time he has made Longue Bros. & Smythe's window his studio. He will remain a few days longer and then go to Barre to fill an engagement.

—Seventy-five new names were added to the cash customer list at the last meeting of the Merchants' Association, August 19. The membership of the association is now 1383, one new member having been added since July 15.

—Rev. T. P. Frost, formerly pastor of Grace Methodist church, and of Trinity Methodist church at Montpelier, has sent

to Principal Davenport of Montpelier Seminary, sufficient funds to remodel the library room of that institution.

—The ice cream sale for the benefit of St. Johnsbury Hospital last Wednesday netted that institution about \$130. The sisters at the hospital wish to thank all who helped to make this undertaking so successful.

—Mrs. Andrew Folsom and her son Henry made a fishing record to be proud of, Monday at Hall's Pond. They caught 31 pickerel, the largest weighing four pounds, and the guests at the Avenue House enjoyed a fine breakfast yesterday.

—The engine on the Hyde Park mixed train going west was derailed above the hatchery Friday night delaying traffic several hours. The train from the west was held until the track was clear and many of the passengers walked to St. Johnsbury.

—The St. Johnsbury Orchestra played for a complimentary banquet tendered Admiral C. E. Clark, at Hotel Low, Bradford, on Tuesday evening of last week, and Wednesday they furnished music for the Old Home Week celebration at Bath, N. H.

—The Harmonic Revivalists will visit St. Johnsbury on Tuesday, Sept. 2d, and will conduct a week of special services. Their first meeting entitled "Two Hours at the Cross" will be for christians only. Every christian cordially invited. The meetings will be held in the Salvation Army Hall.

—Secretary Bagley of the Merchants' Association has issued a revised cash customer list for the use of members of the association. It contains the names of 4687 cash customers, and the list of bankrupts has reached 46. Up to date 467 names have been taken from the list by settlement of accounts.

—Roundman Albert F. Mason of New York whose bravery in saving a man from drowning was mentioned in our columns recently has been placed on the roll of honor at police headquarters and has received a gold medal for risking his own life in the act of saving another. He has also been presented with a new uniform and revolver.

—It was reported last week that the amount subscribed at the recent Music Hall temperance rally was for local use, but the ladies of the W. C. T. U. wish it announced that every cent went for state work. The ladies also report that the names on several pledges were so dimly written that they could not be made out and they desire that any pledges not called for may be handed to Mrs. Parkhurst, treasurer, or any member of the union.

—The supreme lodge, Knights of Pythias, in session at San Francisco last week, defeated the proposition to erect a sanitarium at Hot Springs, Ark., for sick and disabled knights. The supreme lodge held that it had no right under the constitution to tax the members of the order for such purposes. This same matter has been before nearly all the grand lodges of the order, and Vermont was one of the few states to vote against taxing the members.

—The triangular representative contest continues to keep the political pot boiling and conditions are looking very favorable for the election of Henry M. Cheney, the regular republican nominee. Mr. Cheney is a man whom the voters of the town will delight to honor and he will make a worthy representative. His judgment will be especially valuable in committee work, which is really the most important work of the session, and, as announced last week, he stands squarely on the republican platform and will support Senator Dillingham for reelection. The republicans of St. Johnsbury propose to stand by their colors this year and we expect that Mr. Cheney will secure the election to which he is fairly entitled.

—No matter how you vote next Tuesday remember and vote early. The polls open at 9 o'clock and the vote for representative closes at 3 o'clock. The ballot box for the state officers and congressman closes at 5 o'clock.

—Be sure and see that your name is on the check list which is posted in prominent places throughout the town. If your name is not on the list and you are entitled to vote the only chance to get your name on the list is to meet the board of civil authority on Saturday, August 30. They will meet in the town clerk's office over the Passumpsic Savings Bank at 2 in the afternoon and 7 in the evening and will place your name on the check list if it belongs there.

—Distinguished Visitors.
Secretary of Agriculture James H. Wilson and Senator Redfield Proctor were at the St. Johnsbury House last night. They spoke at the agricultural meeting at Fairlee yesterday and went to Barton today to speak at a meeting there. They are accompanied by Secretary Bell of the state board of agriculture.

For the Old First Church.

Lecture by Peter MacQueen for Benefit of Center Church.

St. Johnsbury people will have an opportunity to hear a famous globe trotter and war correspondent Monday evening, September 8, when Peter MacQueen gives his lecture on "Beautiful Russia—the Empire of the White Czar," at Music Hall for the benefit of the old First Congregational church which has recently

undergone extensive repairs. This church is one of the few buildings in town that date back to early days and is indeed our chief and almost only historical structure, and the efforts of the Center society to preserve it deserve the praise of everyone interested in St. Johnsbury. The church will be reopened for worship next Sunday afternoon when Rev. Dr. Edward T. Fairbanks, a former pastor, will preach the sermon.

Secretary McGown of the Y. M. C. A. is to assist in the arrangements for Mr. MacQueen's lecture and it is hoped the attendance will be generous, for both the lecture and the object are good.

Woodsville Loses Again.

The St. Johnsbury ball nine added another to the lengthening list of victories from Woodsville Saturday on the campus. Up to the fifth inning the game was a good one, not a man scoring and only two or three reaching first base. In the fifth the visitors made three runs and the home team four and after this the game was rather a one-sided affair. In the sixth inning the visitors made an entirely unwarranted kick on Umpire Stiles and to please them Manager Rickaby put Charles W. Steele in to finish the game. Suitor for St. Johnsbury and Pebbles for Woodsville did some excellent work in the box.

Following is the score:

ST. JOHNSBURY.	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Heath, 2b.,	4	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
Suitor, p.,	3	1	0	0	12	1	0	0
Pickering, s. s.,	4	2	0	1	2	0	0	0
Higgins, c.,	4	0	2	9	1	0	0	0
Carr, i. f.,	3	1	0	9	0	0	0	0
Noves, c. f.,	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Thompson, 1 b.,	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Albright, 3 b.,	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Laird, r. f.,	3	1	0	1	2	1	0	0
Bedard, 3 b.,	29	8	3	24	17	2	0	0

WOODSVILLE.	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Everest, i. f.,	4	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Hennessy, 1 b.,	3	0	0	7	0	1	0	0
Lyons, s. s.,	4	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
Pebbles, p.,	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Adridge, c.,	2	1	0	4	3	0	0	0
Faige, c.,	3	1	0	7	0	0	0	0
Hall, c. f.,	3	1	1	5	0	0	0	0
Sault, 2 b.,	3	0	1	2	1	2	0	0
Stewart, r. f.,	27	3	3	21	12	9	0	0

Innings, 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
St. Johnsbury, 0 0 0 0 4 2 2 0 0—8
Woodsville, 0 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 0—3

Bases on balls, off Suitor, 2; off Pebbles, 6; hit by pitched ball, Stewart, 1; Pebbles, struck out, by Pebbles, 6; by Suitor, 9; wild pitch, Pebbles, 2. Time, 1:40. Umpires, Stiles, Steele.

Woman's Club.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Club which is to be held at Pythian Hall Monday afternoon, September 1, will be under the direction of the music committee. Executive Board meeting at 2 o'clock. This program has been arranged for the afternoon.

To a Water Lily, MacDowell
Fruhlingcranchen, Sinding
Miss Margaret Gorham, Gounod
Cavatine, Queen of Sheba, Gounod
a. Adagio, Emile Mlynarski
b. Tanzeise No. 11, Davol Sanders
c. Tanzeise No. 29, Mr. Sanders.
(Thou art so like a Flower) G. W. Chadwick
Allah, MonDesir, Nevin
Fantaisie Caprice, Vienxtemps
Recitative and Aria from Der Freischutz, Weber
Miss Ethel Abbott.

A social hour will follow and light refreshments will be served.

Local Option Rally.

Gay colored posters announce a high license local option rally here Friday night with Percival W. Clement, the candidate for governor, and Sam Small of Atlanta, Ga., as the speakers. The meeting will be held in the Court House square and the speakers will address the crowd from a specially erected stand. Before the rally there will be a torchlight parade and after the speaking there will be a grand exhibit of fireworks. Five bands of music have been engaged and special trains will run from Newport, Bradford, Hardwick and Lunenburg, stopping at intervening stations and returning after the display of fireworks. Further details of the rally will be given on flyers to be distributed a few days later.

Democratic Rally.

It may be as has been claimed, that the great majority of democrats in St. Johnsbury will bolt the regular state ticket this year and vote for Clement, but surely the rally at Howe Opera House last evening did not indicate that there was a lack of enthusiasm for McGertrick and May. There was a good audience and the speakers were given good attention.

Elisba May, candidate for lieutenant governor, was the first speaker, and his theme was the increase in state expenses which he showed by statistics. He also dwelt upon the great increase in the number of executive officers since 1863.

The candidate for governor, Felix W. McGertrick, of St. Albans, was introduced by Mr. May, and gave a clean and eloquent presentation of his party's position on state issues, dwelling chiefly on the question of the much discussed prohibitory law. He stated that he believed that an overwhelming majority of the people in Vermont wanted the prohibitory law repealed, and claimed his party is the only solution of the question, as the platforms of McCullough and Clement advocated a referendum which was surely unconstitutional, and if a local-option law was enacted by the legislature and approved by the people under the methods prescribed in the platforms, it would be good for nothing, and the present law would still be in force. The speaker scored the law and the methods employed in its enforcement, but his address was conspicuously free from personal attacks on anyone and it is safe to say that even if Mr. McGertrick did not make any votes, he certainly made a great many friends, who will be numbered among his hearers if he ever comes to St. Johnsbury again. The St. Johnsbury Band occupied a place on the stage and enlivened the occasion with music.

Mass Meeting at Music Hall.

A mass meeting will be held in Music Hall next Sunday evening at a quarter past eight o'clock to be addressed by Rev. O. R. Miller, the noted temperance lecturer of Washington, D. C. Mr. Miller is on his way to address the large cities of Canada at their request on behalf of the work of the international bureau of reforms which has charge of the legislation presented to congress along reform lines. Mr. Miller is one of the strongest and most progressive and practical temperance workers of this country and may be relied upon to give a rousing and valuable address. He was formerly pastor of the Methodist church in Holyoke, where his conspicuous abilities attracted the attention of Rev. Dr. Wilbur P. Crafts, president of the international bureau of reforms, and he was called to the important office of field secretary of the bureau.

Sam Small's Collapse.

Rev. Sam Small collapsed at the rally at Brattleboro last Monday evening just as he had begun to address the largest audience in the campaign. He spoke a few incoherent sentences and was then led from the stage. At first it was given out that he was suffering from the effects of a drug taken to keep up his strength in a strenuous campaign. But Mr. Small explained the collapse by saying, "I was drunk. I have no excuse to offer. I have no one to blame but myself." This confession was made to the representative of the Associated Press and to the local editors of the Brattleboro papers. He added that he would return to Brattleboro and explain the matter to them next Sunday night.

Mr. Small spoke at the rally at Barre last night and appeared in excellent health. He said he would like to apologize for the unfortunate occurrence in Brattleboro. He said he was advised by his friends to take a stimulant to keep up his strength and he took too much.

Death from Lockjaw.

Arthur Gagnon, the nine-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Gagnon, died at his home Wednesday of lockjaw, after an illness of 20 hours. August 9 he stepped on a nail, but the wound soon healed and no further trouble was anticipated. Symptoms of lockjaw became evident Tuesday afternoon and in the evening a severe attack came and continued until his death which occurred at 11 o'clock Wednesday morning. During this time he suffered intensely and although everything possible was done all efforts were unavailing. The funeral was held Friday morning at Notre Dame church. Arthur was a bright, attractive boy and a general favorite with all who knew him, and the bereaved family will have the sympathy of all in their affliction.

Seventy Club Meeting.

The Club met with Mrs. Clarissa Stone, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Ward on Spring street, last Wednesday, to celebrate her 87th birthday. Although her birthday is not until December, in consideration of the health of the members it was celebrated in the summer time. Eight members were present and found Mrs. Stone very active for one in her 88th year, retaining her faculties remarkably, her waning eyesight alone giving her some inconvenience. A very pleasant time was spent socially and tea was served at 5 o'clock by Mrs. Ward and her daughter Mabel.